

## Montana Mental Health Nursing Care Center Policy Manual

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Department: Housekeeping

**Pest Control** 

## **POLICY:**

A professional pest exterminator will be utilized to control vermin within the building.

## PROCEDURE:

- 1. An exterminator will visit the premises monthly. All sprays and products are government approved.
  - A. The exterminator will be accompanied by the Housekeeping Supervisor or designee.
  - B. If a problem arises between visits the Housekeeping Supervisor will contact the exterminator company to request additional service.
  - C. Residents will not store perishables in their room unless care planned otherwise.
  - D. Staff will eat in designated break areas and dispose of extra foods in appropriate disposal receptacles.
  - E. No outside plants will be brought inside in the resident living areas.

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